Improvement Issue Now

Pending.

nance Offered Providing for Post-

Office Driveway in Eleventh Street.

As the item had not been cared for in the proposed bond issue of \$2,000,000 for permanent improvements, Council-

man Carter C. Jones, of Madison Ward, last night introduced into the Common Council a resolution authorizing a se-rial bond issue of \$500,000 for streets

generally, the issuance to be in yearly installments of \$100,000 each, and the bonds to pay 4 per cent interest per annum. The paper was referred back

huge German shells, it is stated, have powdered concrete the forts of Vaux, three strongholds front four and a half miles. The Germans have already ut tions, heavy fighting having been reported from Vaux on the north and Eix to-hand fighting occurred around the railway statton, but the village, least the greater part of it, is still in the hands of the French

MORE THAN 21,000

PRISONERS CAPTURED

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AMERICANS RELEASED

garian authorities in Monastir, have been released, according to reports to the State Department from Lewis Einstein, special diplomatic agent in the Balkans.

Take LAXATIVE BROND CUINTIE Tablets. and 334 men.

"Mastern and Halkans."

CROVES SERVED to a such box 25. Is nothing to report."

Farmer Kills Seven of His Own Family

Daniel O'Kane Then Ends Own Life, According to Testimony Before Coroner.

LAWTON, OKLA. March 6 .- Testions tending to show that Daniel Kane, a farmer, killed seven members late to-day held an inquest farm hand this morning found the six murdered per-ane, fatally shot, lying O Kane died this even-

be strained relations exist-

a hammer, and the threats of the der children had been slashed razor. The elder O'Kane and O'Kane and the baby, Robert.

was missing, and a posse with ment for their homes, ounds set out to search for him. On Monday only 1,000 inhabitants re-

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK: LOSSES IN THE HUNDREDS

Five Minutes After Striking Bock.

SURVIVORS REACH SANTOS ORDERED EVACUATION

Only 125 Reported Saved, While 338 Details of Tragedy Lacking.

the bottom in five minutes, affected, affected Our greatest difficulty was to feed

of the passenger service between a and Brazil. She passed Gi-on February t on her way from Aires to Barrelons.

the fighting and n half terriary off Sebastian Point, the western

ACTIVITY SUSPENDED

To Cure a Cold in One Day

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VERDUN DISTRICT SWEPT JONES PROPOSES ISSUE CLEAN OF CIVILIAN LIFE OF BONDS FOR STREETS

PEOPLE EXPELLED BY FORCE SCHEDULE OF MERCHANT TAXES

Commander of French Army Ordered Would Add \$500,000 to \$2,000,000 Subprefect to Evacuate

All Villages.

At First Shell, Few Remaining Hun- Finance Committee Reports New dreds Take to Cellars, and at Rate for Tax on Purchases-Ordi-First Opportunity They, Too, Are Rushed to Places of Safety.

BY JEAN GRILLON. Subprefect of Verdun

VERDUN, FRANCE, March 6 .- In mid-February the general commanding ad quarreled with his aged the army in the region of Verdun summes O'Kane, and gave their moned me to his headquarters and

come temporarily insane. made in this region. Evacuate all the villages north of Verdun; we must prepare the battle field."

Preparing the battle field means lations new shelter, and preparing quarters for the troops.
Farms and homesteads were vacated

had been slashed and cattle taken away. Food stocks clder O'Kane and were remitted to the military commis-

"Verdun is going to be a nest

I closed the schools and had all the sick removed to improvised hospitals THEN ENDS HIS OWN LIFE several miles in the rear. Neverthe-ARKSHURG, W. VA. March 6.— less, most of the citizens refused to dead hodies of two little daugh- quit the town. Arguments being use-Michael Rader were found in less. I had to fereibly expel them printed for the information and guidome at Clay Creek, Nicholson Only those who have fived there can ance of the members of the Common NEW OUDINANCES this morning. An uncle, John realize the sturdy Lorrainers' attach.

found in the woods had shot himself.

On Monday only Low landalities for the woods had shot himself.

On Monday only Low landalities for the new taxes are to be graduated on the amount of the yearly purchases and every one went to the cellars. The best were those of the subpre-fecture, where, for months past, I had the shelters and supplied larens ersons took refuge.

The first gust of shells lasted eight purchases not exceeding \$2,000, a tax ours. During a lull I visited other of \$20, for purchases not exceeding clars, and discovered that there had \$20,000, a tax of \$20 on the first \$2,000. cellars, and discovered that there had \$20.00 heen only one death, that of a woman who had imprudently rushed to the first floor of her home to save some papers, and had been killed near a for of the window.

I ordered the evacuation to continue, Passengers and 107 Members of We were unable to use our railroad Crew Are Said to Be Missing, depot, which was under fire. The people walked west or rode in vehicles the in of all descriptions.

SANTOS BRAZIL, March 5—The several buildings collapsing. Happily tish steamer Princepe de Asturias no person was wounded, the cellars of those remaining in Verdun being un-\$8,000 and \$10,000 by the change in the

passengers were brought to fifteen-inch shells fell in the city. At his the French steamer Vegna, millinght I received a telephone mes-On Thursday night more than ten scheme to reduce the membership of the Administrative Board to four and

feet She was built at Port Glasgow The Germans next fired "star shells," ordinance as a moral issue and in 1911, and owned by the Finitios, which threw a brilliant light over the show the people where they stand issue ruins as we mobilized the Me Haddon where they stand

AND 107 OF CREW WISSING beath some of these shaftered houses, tured death, and where LONDON, March 6.—A Lloyd's dis-Sick and infirm old people and chill would amount only to the from Santos says that 33s pas-dren wept bitterly as we heisted them islace, as it was pointed from the cellars into automobiles, which at resuscitation were successful the rushed them to an outlying station revivitiention would be too late for the There, in default of proper train ac. General the cars and on open trucks.

The statement follows and the Malantouri Avecurit road of the Instructions in any way yie.

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BERLIN, March 6 (via London) - and resolutions were adopted; an ornight passed without any infantry action. The artillety action continued violently on the left bink of the Moise and intermittently in the sector to the left bink of the Moise west of Donaument, and in the Woovre, lighted, set forth in effect that the communications of the lightly manifered the communications of the lightly manifered the front."

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Western front: Lively mining duels joint resolution authorizing the Comon ITALIAN FRONT is infantry which delivered minor at-BY BUGARIAN AUTHORITIES

WASHINGTON, March a.—The three
Americans, Mrs. Farwell, Miss Mitchell
and Dr. Henry Forbes, reported to have
been mistreated and interned by duli
ON FIALIAN FRONT ish infantry which delivered minor atSouth Richmond, to close an alley runtiest on several occasions in this
ning through its property; a joint resotreat activity has been almost come heighborhood was repuised by our fire.
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The day passed more quietly than preyt. one days. Nevertheles we captured and Meade; from the Committee on Selectary and the day before, during bill against the Virginia Home for

minor engagements, fourteen officers incurables for \$711.95; a resolution and 534 men. Kastern and Balkan fronts: There to the Blehmond Male Orphan Asylum

Villa Is on Way to Seek Conference With Wilson

EL PASO, TEX., March 6.-Franthe United States border, and is en route to Washington, where he will seek a conference with President Wilson, according to a message received to-night by General Gaviria. commandant at Juarez, who transmitted the report through Andreas tinrein, Mexican consul here, to General John Pershing, commanding United States troops along the

horder. General Gavirta's advices stated that Villa would exonerate himself from blame in the massacre in which eighteen Americans killed last January, and would further endenvor to place before President Wilson his position with reference to the present situation in Mexico. The message said that Villa was camped a few miles south of Columbus, N. M.

to the Finance Committee, in which Mr. Jones has already made effort to have it recommended, and had succeeded in obtaining only four votes. The \$2,000,000 bond issue sought by Police Commissioners to take \$1,800 f a patrol wagon; a resolution tabled, following regular procedure, and will be considered in a special meeting called by Chairman Peters find, a resolution repealing a resolu-tion directing the City Attorney to acquire the triangular lot bounded by have recorded in the Chancery Court Committee are as follows: for public nts between the city and prop for the widening of Monument Avenue west of the Belt Line tracks.

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was received a petition for the es-The meeting was enliveded a bit \$4,000 and the salary of the medical run, when Councilman Ratcliffe paraded the inspector to \$2,500. tlef health officer be raised to

threelons and liraril. She passed Gibraltar on February ton her way from livens. After to Barcelona.

She was a large and comparatively now vessel lifer gross tynnage was 5.21, her length 450 feet, her beam fifty-eight feet, and depth (wenty-nine) five feet. She was built at Port Glasgow for the feet strain field and the property of the feet free feet. She was built at Port Glasgow for the feet strain field over the warded a recommendation that the or- in the Finance Committee dinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrangements by Mr. Fergusson, requesting the Addinance be rejected, and arrang

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SCHOOLS TAKE LARGE PART pared with December, 1914, according

Fund of \$237,275 Is for "Other Per- Bureau of Railway Economics. manent Public Buildings and Per- This comparison is between the manent Improvements," as Administrative Board May Determine.

More than \$500,000 of the proposed sites, while the next largest separate over 1914. Operating expenses item in the Finance Committee's recfor "other permanent public buildings 484.917, an increase of \$43.553,748 detail the manner of its expenditure

works, sewers, improvement of Shee- in the West. the report makes no mention of streets. for the improvement of which the Ad-Park Avenue, Cleveland and Franklin ministrative Board made urgent ap-The recommendations of the Finance

for a colored normal school site, \$25. REFERRED TO COMMITTEES | 960; for the construction of a concrete ordinance to amend section 16, flume from Bosher's Dam to the Set ON VEARLA PURCHASES chapter on, of the cone, concerning time basins, including The new taxes are to be graduated the appointment from the police force the amount of the yearly purchases, of an officer who shall act as Police 900; for sewer construction, \$200,000 mapter 53, of the Code, concerning thing Basins, including the right of e ner- Court crier and cashier, was referred to re- to the Ordinance Committee. An ordi- for improvement of Shockoe Creek and mon to build a one-story frame stable, chase of the Feitig property near Oak \$20,000 a tax of \$20 on the first \$2,000 and 50 or fraction thereof in excess of \$2,000; for particular for each \$100 or fraction thereof in excess of \$2,000; for particular for each \$100 or fraction thereof in excess of \$2,000; for particular for each \$100 or fraction makes not exceeding \$50,000, a tax of was recommitted to the Ordinance Company to build a stable at 365 North improvements, \$100,550, for improvement of the Electric charges not exceeding \$50,000, a tax of was recommitted to the Ordinance Company to build a stable at 365 North improvements, \$100,550, for improvement of the Electric charges not exceeding \$50,000, a tax of was recommitted to the Ordinance Company to build a stable at 365 North improvements, \$100,550, for improvement of the Electric charges not exceeding \$50,000, a tax of was recommitted to the Ordinance Company to build a stable at 365 North improvements, \$100,550, for improvement of the Electric charges not exceeding \$50,000, a tax of was recommitted to the Ordinance Company to build a stable at 365 North improvements, \$100,550, for improvement of the Electric charges not exceeding \$50,000, a tax of was recommitted to the Ordinance Company to build a stable at 365 North improvements, \$100,550, for improvement of the Electric charges not exceeding \$50,000, a tax of was recommitted to the Ordinance Company to build a stable at 365 North improvements, \$100,550, for improvement of the Electric charges not exceed the Ele

however, for permanent improvement. The issue will be in registered of coupon convertible bonds, hearing in-terest at the rate of t per cent per an

ORPET HELD FOR MURDER

dicted, and Case May He Called for Trial Next Week.

"HICAGO, March 6.—Will Ornet University of Wisconsin student, was indicted by a Lake County grand jury to-day on a charge of murdering his

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With Previous December.

years. The comparison of December of 1915 with the average December for bond issue, which is to be ensidered five years shows an increase of 49.6 p. voted to public school buildings and \$287,367,343, an increase of \$61,652,525 ommendations is more than \$250,000 Operating revenue amounted to \$103,

NET OPERATING INCOME

and permanent improvements." As this inouths of the current fiscal year, comwill be left to the Administrative Board. Increased 51.2 per cent in the East, 45.5 year, show operating income per mile Liberal provision is made for water per cent in the South and 23.8 per cent



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